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ANNUAL REPORT,

TOWN OF EFFINGHAM

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR

1898 - 9.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE

TOWN OF

BEDFORD, N. H.,

— FOR THE —

FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1899.

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EMBRACING THE REPORTS OF THE
**Treasurer, Selectmen, Road Agents,
and School Board;**
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VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1898.

H. G. HARDWAY, PRINTER.
FREEDOM, NEW HAMPSHIRE.

— 1899. —

TREASURER'S REPORT.

To Chas. S. Miles and Josiah W. Thurston auditors,
I hereby submit the following report of the receipts and
expenditures of the Town of Effingham for the year end-
ing Feb. 15, 1899.

FRANCISCO W. BARKER,

Treasurer.

Receipts.

Received of F. W. Barker, Treas. for 1997,	\$ 515 55
" taxes bid off by Selectmen,	134 26
" John K. Meloon, town clerk, dog license,	62 40
" Town of Freedom, due on Falle bridge,	1 32
" State Treasurer, Savings Bank tax,	224 70
" " " Literary Fund,	61 80
" C. P. Kimball, note in part,	25 00
" County for support of paupers,	26 44
" C. F. Rowe, use of hall,	1 00
" John W. S. Palmer, Collector 1897,	74 58
" " " " " 98	3761 85
" Geo. W. Kincaid, land as per deed,	80 00
	4968 90

Expenditures.

Town Officers' bills,	\$ 282 00
" pauper "	234 23
Indigent soldiers,	31 44
Support of schools,	900 72
Religious societies,	17 88
Damage by dogs,	14 00
Highways,	1433 82
Miscellaneous bills,	414 70
State tax,	374 00
County tax,	510 70
Cash to balance,	662 19
Total expenditures,	4875 68

INDEBTEDNESS.

Due Religious societies,	\$ 59 81
" School fund,	43 40
" notes,	2024 63
Highway bills,	<u>585 11</u>
	2712 95

ASSETS.

Kineand land,	\$ 80 00
Isaac Thurston land,	20 00
Taxes bid off by town,	315 96
Due from Collectors,	191 23
Kimball note,	155 11
Cash in Treasury,	<u>662 19</u>
	1424 49
Indebtedness over Assets,	\$ 1288 46

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS.

C. S. Miles, Auditor,	\$ 2 00
J. M. Drake " "	2 00
J. P. Glidden, Supervisor of Check-list,	10 00
L. C. Holmes, " " "	15 00
George E. Doane, " " "	10 00
J. M. Leavitt, m. d., Board of Health,	5 00
A. N. Gould, " " "	2 00
J. L. Demeritt " " "	3 00

Sylvester Day, Constable,	5 00
J. W. S. Palmer, Collector,	33 00
John K. Meloon, town clerk,	10 00
F. W. Barker, treasurer,	20 00
C. F. Rowe, School Board,	25 00
J. M. Drake, "	17 50
C. P. Keay, "	17 50
Charles Parsons, Selectman,	33 00
B. F. Lear, "	33 50
I. S. Drake, "	33 50
	282 00

TOWN PAUPER BILLS.

N. H. Asylum, board of R. R. Flanders,	\$ 210 23
I. W. Barker, rent for G. W. Kincaid,	24 00
	234 23

INDIGENT SOLDIERS.

I. S. Drake, for Charles Edwards,	10 94
Attbridge Goodale, " "	18 00
F. Lear, " "	2 50
	31 44

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

C. F. Rowe, school money in full,	\$ 794 20
" school-books and supplies,	106 52
	900 72

PAID RELIGIOUS SOCIETIES.

A. J. Saunders, 4 Free Baptist,	\$ 3 99
A. H. Davis, 2 " in part	10 00
C. H. Littlefield, Universalist,	3 89
	17 88

DAMAGE BY DOGS.

Harriet Pease, 3 pigs,	\$ 9 00
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B. F. Lear,	13, hens,	5 00
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		14 00

HIGHWAYS.

G. W. Shaw, Road Agent, winter '97-8,	\$ 163 08
W. L. Meloon, " "	221 66
C. H. Littlefield, " "	209 14
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Total winter 1897-8,	\$ 593 88
 W. L. Meloon, Road Ag't summer '98,	227 21
C. H. Lttitlefield, " "	205 00
A. H. Davis, " "	293 81
<hr/>	726 02
Charles Towle, stringers for Huntress bridge,	105 00
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Total summer 1898,	\$ 831 02
 G. W. Shaw, summer '97,	3 75
J. L. Demeritt, " 95,	2 55
C. P. Keay, " "	2 62
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Total Highway,	1433 82

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

H. W. Hobbs, reports,	\$ 23 60
E. C. Eastman, stationary,	6 85
T. F. Taylor, taxes on Kincaid property,	
1894-6-7,	18 29
Charles Parsons, building four snow rollers,	176 00
George E. Doane, one "	15 00
J. K. Meloon, housing rollers,	1 62
J. E. Thurston, oiling "	1 50
M. H. Nutter, housing road-machine,	2 00
C. F. Rowe, cleaning house by order of	
Board of Health,	2 00
J. M. Leavitt, M. D., rep't of births & deaths, '98,	2 75
J. W. Dearborn, " " " '95,	50
A. N. Gould, " " " '98,	25

G. W. Lougee, M. D., rep'tng births & deaths, '97,	\$ 1 00
Merrow & Lougee, " " '98,	2 00
J. K. Meloon, record, " " "	6 65
F. W. Barker, decorating soldier's graves,	15 00
J. M. Champion, Am't raised in 1897 for repairs of library,	50 00
J. M. Champion, Am't raised by law 1898 for library	26 40
L. S. Drake, postage and express,	5 11
T. F. Taylor, wood for Town Hall,	4 00
G. F. Rowe, care of " "	2 00
George W. Kincaid, for land,	52 18
	414 70

State Tax,	374 00
County Tax,	510 70

ABATEMENTS.

1897.

Willie E. Drake, Poll,	2 18	Isaac Thurston, Poll,	2 18
C. E. Moore,	"	"	2 18
J. F. Robinson, " and horse,			2 51
Total 1897,	9 05.		—
	1898		

Mary E. Stevens, Ford Place,	1 00
Thomas Tuttle, \$3 21 Calvin L. Clough, L—,	20
Willard Ellis, over taxation,	5 91
Isaac Thurston, Poll, 1 97 Robert Grant, Poll,	1 97
James Coote, " 1 97 Will E. Drake,	1 97
H. L. Miles, " paid in Mass.,	1 97
John F. Boody, " " Maine,	1 97
Chas. Edwards, horse 35 J. M. Colecord,	1 97
F. H. Taylor, Poll, and horse,	2 96
Oren Bragdon, 3 Horses, 3 74 Geo. Kincaid,	3 94
Almon Johnson, 1 " 1 36 J. W. Champion, horse,	59
Estate of Adam Brown, (Highway),	2 00
Fred C. Glidden, Error,	1 97
Total 1898, \$41 02.	—

WATERING TROUGHS.

S. I. F. Rowe,	1 50	J. W. Champion,	1 00
Lorenzo Champion,	1 00	C. K. Champion,	1 00

W. T. Davis,	1 50	Estate L. Meloon,	1 50
J. M. Leavitt,	3 00	J. V. Granville,	3 00
C. H. Drake,	3 00	B. F. Lear,	3 00
Louis A. Shaw,	2 50	S. J. Philbrick,	1 50
T. F. Taylor,			1 50
		25 00	

RECAPITULATION.

Expenditures.

Town Officer's Bills,	282 00
" Pauper's "	234 23
Indigent Soldiers,	31 44
Support of Schools,	900 72
Religious Societies,	17 88
Damage by Dogs,	14 00
Highways,	1,433 82
Miscellaneous Bills,	414 70
State Tax,	374 0
County "	51 70

Liabilities

Due Religious Societies.

1st F. W. B. Society,	1 64
2nd " " "	1 00
3rd " " "	19 94
5th " " "	4 17
Cong. "	26 17
Advent "	7 49
	59 81
Due School fund from Dog Tax,	43 47
" on Notes	
J. K. Meloon,	306 76
Heirs B. F. Taylor, 2nd,	116 72
S. A. Meloon,	157 19
Eunice Demeritt,	130 48
J. T. Hodsdon,	633 94
J. B. Marston,	658 19
Sylvester Day,	77 23
Elizabeth Bickford,	44 12
Total due on Notes,	2,024 63
Out Standing Highway Bills.	
Breaking road 1898-99 to Feb. 15.	

W. L. Meloon, Ag't,	196 80
C. H. Littlefield, "	182 86
A. H. Davis, "	205 45
Total Outstanding Highway Bills,	585 11
Whole amount Liabilities	2,712 95

Assets.

Geo. Kincaid land,	80 00
Isaac Thurston land,	20 00
Taxes bid off by Town 1895,	48 88
" " " " 1897,	82 43
" " " " 1898,	184 65
Total amount taxes bid off by Town,	315 96
Due from Collectors.	
T. F. Taylor; 1894,	2 04
F. O. Bradbury, 1896,	100 00
J. W. S. Palmer, 1897,	5 89
" " " " 1898,	83 30
Total amount due from Collectors,	191 23
Due on C. P. Kimball note,	155 11
Cash in hand of Treasurer,	662 19
Total amount Assets,	1,424 49
Total Amount Liabilities,	2,712 95
" " Assets,	1,424 49
Leaving Town Indebtedness,	1,288 46

WINTER HIGHWAY, 1898.

GEO. W. SHAW, AGENT.

Geo. W. Shaw,	25 01	D. P. Demeritt,	1 81
A. H. Davis,	6 70	W. T. Davis,	16 59
Jed Nason,	6 17	R. M. Fulton,	4 57
J. W. Thurston,	3 17	Charles Holder,	.90
F. W. Barker,	10 03	L. C. Holmes,	7 45
C. P. Keay,	6 99	S. Q. Dearborn,	10 91
F. A. Pike,	5 26	J. K. Meloon,	7 22
Charles Parsons,	1 69	Joseph Glidden,	.25
S. P. Bryant,	5 77	J. W. Chick,	4 87
William Clark,	1 50	Clem Gilpatrick,	2 15
James Linscott,	88	J. C. Kenison,	.69

D. C. Gale,	4 44	Alonzo Kenison,	3 50
H. H. Glidden,	2 19	Frank Emmons,	1 50
Joe Snitscher,	13	C. T. Meloon,	.69
S. K. Meloon,	.69	H. W. Harmon,	1 13
Chase Jellicson,	8 70	A. C. Sanborn,	1 81
J. H. Smith,	2 32	Harlem Lord,	1 32
H. D. Hobbs,	2 76	J. F. Stilson,	.94
J. M. Leavitt,	38		
		Total	\$ 163 .08

W. L. MELOON, AGENT.

For Breaking Roads, Winter, 1898.

Joseph M. Meloon,	13 93	Oscar J. Avery,	2 92
John M. Drake,	15 52	Willard L. Meloon,	13 95
Irving S. Drake,	10 38	Robert Wilkinson,	12 20
Charles E. Meloon,	6 76	Eben D. Davis,	3 24
Ceo. E. Doane,	13 43	Charles S. Meloon,	5 78
Cyrus K. Champion,	11 38	Charles P. Kimball,	17 83
John W. Champion,	17 28	George F. Drake,	1 75
Seth J. Philbrick,	8 43	Charles L. Trafton,	10 05
Asa Philbrick,	11 07	Geo. E. Wentworth,	3 13
Walter Meloon,	7 50	Perly Young,	12 34
Fred Nelson,	8 75	John A. Leavitt,	.75
John M. Chase,	5 36	Sylvester Day,	1 43
Arthur Rowe,	37	William Morse,	.63
Oscar Woodman,	5 50		
		Total.	221 66

C. H. LITTLEFIELD, Road Agent, (Winter).

J. P. Glidden,	40	C. D. Littlefield,	8 00
C. T. Littlefield,	1 30	J. B. Tay'or,	6 03
C. L. Clough,	3 13	Fred Clough,	2 50
Bent. Clough,	2 90	E. Williams,	
C. H. Stevens,	9 36	Fred Glidden,	3 88
E. Perkins,	1 00	E. B. Glidden,	5 92
H. E. Sanders,	6 80	M. H. Nutter,	12 12
Albion Clough,	.68	A. J. Sanders,	6 12
N. Moody,	7 50	H. F. Colcord,	1 12
C. H. Towle,	17 58	E. J. Leavitt,	5 00
C. S. Miles,	3 75	C. H. Drake,	.75
J. B. Marston,	.75	J. Durgin,	4 12
C. Bisbee,	1 90	L. Keniston,	4 90
R. Keniston,	3 75	R. Stanley,	2 41
E. L. Canney,	7 12	F. E. Moody,	5 62
William Wynan,	.75	T. F. Taylor,	21 75
L. Champion,	.75	J. M. Champion,	5 70
Irving Rowe,	9 04	James Smith,	1 20
Harry Hobbs,	1 60	Harlan Lord,	1 05

J. M. Leavitt,	8 75	J. F. Boody,	2 87
J. B. Rowe,	1 00	Jack Smith,	.62
Oscar Avery,	2 40	C. Sprague,	2 00
Arthur Sanborn,	.90	Charles Jellison,	.40
C. H. Littlefield, Road Agent,			12 00
		209 14	
Total breaking roads winter 1897-98,		\$593 88	

ALLIION II. DAVIS.

Road Agent, Summer, 1898.

D. C. Gale,	10 62	Warren Chick,	5 75
Henry Glidden,	2 50	Will Clark,	5 36
W. T. Davis,	9 50	G. W. Shaw,	3 75
C. Gilpatrick,	1 00	Lewellyn Eastman,	6 50
J. L. Demeritt,	76 75	J. C. Nason,	2 25
L. W. Shaw,	2 25	J. Keniston,	1 75
John Marston,	2 24	S. U. Cutting,	3 62
C. T. Meloon,	5 12	S. K. Meloon,	6 12
C. E. Meloon,	6 02	Alonzo Keniston,	1 25
Fred Glidden,	1 25	John K. Meloon,	9 00
Shepherd Demeritt,	4 50	J. M. Chase,	5 25
Joseph Glidden,	1 25	A. A. Fulton,	1 87
Daniel Taylor,	1 25	S. Q. Dearborn,	9 50
Leonard Holmes,	6 50		
Cyrus Keay,	2 25	Harry Hobbs,	2 50
F. A. Pike,	4 75	Lorenzo Linscott,	1 25
Frank Emmons,	4 50	D. P. Demeritt,	1 25
F. O. Br dbury,	2 25	William Cook,	1 25
Herman Bryant,	1 50	John Hodgdon,	3 75
Dennis Carlyn,	.50	Orren Stillings,	8 00
John Stillings,	1 75	Will Thurston,	4 87
Arthur Sanborn,	1 25	Horace Harmon,	1 25
J. M. Leavitt,	4 00	J. E. Fitzgerald,	1 25
Josiah Thurston,	2 25	Edwin Thurston,	1 25
A. H. Davis, lumber,	5 00	A. H. Davis, labor,	37 87
R. M. Fulton,	5 60	Ed Skillings,	1 00
		Total,	293 81

Amount expended in Summer of 1898.

WILLARD L. MELOON, Road Agent.

Arthur Rowe,	4 62	Freeman Moulton,	6 62
Amos W. Emerson,	.83	Will Wentworth,	2 50
Willard L. Meloon,	23 15	J. W. Champion,	19 27
Joseph M. Meloon,	23 14	John M. Drake,	22 52
Cyrus K. Champion,	9 50	Thomas F. Taylor,	2 00
James F. Cate,	2 25	John A. Leavitt,	2 74
Charles P. Kimball,	1 00	Sylvester Day,	2 25

John W. S. Palmer,	\$ 2 25	Chales S. Meloon,	\$ 8 12
Geo. F. Drake,	8 87	Chas. E. Meloon,	10 62
Melvin R. Wilkinson,	4 75	Eben D. Davis,	5 63
Wm. Morse,	6 01	Geo. E. Doane,	3 75
Oscar J. Avery,	18 25	Irving S. Drake,	5 47
Ira Drake,	2 72	Chas. L. Trafton,	6 50
Ara J. Philbrick,	2 88	Chas. E. Lucas,	2 50
Walter Meloon,	2 50	Perly Young,	9 00
Thomas Danforth,	3 75	Robert Wilkinson,	1 25
		Total,	227 21

C. II: LITTLEFIELD, Road Agt., for Summer, 1898.

G. Sanders, Labor,	5 38	Fred L. Glidden,	
Clym L. Clough, Labor,	3 76	Plank and Labor,	5 96
Daniel Littlefield,	1 25	Benj. Clough,	3 75
J. P. Glidden,	3 50	E. Williams,	2 50
S. I. F. Rowe,	4 25	C. H. Towle,	1 25
H. A. F. Colcord,	5 50	N. Moody,	3 75
C. S. Miles,	7 23	C. H. Drake,	6 50
E. J. Leavitt,	5 00	J. B. Marston,	3 75
C. F. Rowe, Labor,	6 95	J. M. Leavitt,	8 75
Charles Sprague,	1 88	E. Canney,	3 75
F. E. Moody,	3 75	I. Keniston,	1 25
R. Keniston,	2 75	Harry Hobbs,	1 25
Jack Smith,	1 87	James Smith,	1 25
John Enrach,	1 25	Frank H. Taylor,	2 25
Simeon Meserve,	2 50	E. F. Leavitt,	1 25
S. Pease,	1 25	T. F. Taylor,	
Mrs. Harriet Pease, Loam,	5 00	Plank and Labor,	44 18
Mrs. B. F. Taylor,	" 4 00	W. M. Glidden,	4 88
E. B. Glidden, Plank,	4 86	Albion Clough,	63
J. B. Taylor,	63	J. Durgin,	3 75
Fred Clough,	63	M. H. Nutter,	2 75
Wm. Wyman,	63	A. J. Sanders,	3 00
C. H. Littlefield, Road Agont,			24 78
	Total,		205 00

Am't Summer Highway 1898, \$ 726 02

Stringers for Huntress Bridge, 105 00

Total, \$ 831 02

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Effingham, having this day examined the accounts of the Selectmen, and Treasurer, hereby report that we find them fully vouched for and correctly cast.

Feby. 15, 1899.

C. S. MILES,
J. W. THURSTON, } Auditors.

INVENTORY OF TOWN.

Polls,	163;	Valuation, \$	16 300 00.
Real Estate,		"	163 390 00.
Horses,	227;	"	9 045 00.
Oxen,	30;	"	1 236 00.
Cows,	216;	"	4 189 00.
Other neat stock,	117;	"	2 664 00.
Sheep,	49;	"	123 00.
Stock in Banks & other Corporations in this State,			400 00
Money on hand at interest or on deposit,			1192 00
Stock in Trade,			3850 00
Mills & thir Machinery,			4150 00
Total Valuation,			206,608 00.
Am't Taxes levied for all purposes in Town,			4095 82
Rate per ct. Taxation,			1 97

Appropriations March Meeting, 1898.

Town charges,	\$500 00	Town debt,	\$200 00
Highways and Bridges, Summer,			800 00
Breaking Roads for 1897-8,			600 00
Decorating Soldiers' Graves,			15 00
Schools by vote of Town,			200 00
" " Law, 440 00		Library,	26 40
Rollers for breaking Roads,			200 00

Report of Trustees of PUBLIC LIBRARY,

FOR THE TWO YEARS ENDING FEB. 15, 1899.

RECEIPTS.

From entertainments,	\$ 58 76
" town treasurer, 1897,	26 40
" " " " 1898,	26 40
	\$ 111 56

EXPENDITURES.

Due Treasurer for 1896,	2 15
Paid for books 1897,	32 36

Paid A. N. Gould, Librarian for 1897,	25 00
" for books 1898,	20 62 ⁵⁵
" A. N. Gould, Librarian for 1898,	25 00
	105 13 ⁵⁵
Leaving balance in Treasury,	6 43
Books added during the two years by gift,	10
" " " " " purchase, 59	
C. S. Miles Pres.	
J. M. Champion, Treas.	
Frank W. Barker, Sec.	

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Effingham, having this day examined the accounts of the Library Trustees and hereby report that we find them fully vouched for, and correctly cast.

Feb. 15, 1899. C. S. MILES,
 J. W. THURSTON, } Auditors.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD OF THE TOWN OF EFFINGHAM

For the Year Ending February 15, 1898.

RECEIPTS.

Rec'd from Town Treas. amount raised by law,	\$440 00
" " " " " vote,	200 00
" " " " School lot fund,	40 00
" " " " Literary fund,	61 80
" " " " Unexpended dog tax,	52 40
" John M. Drake, Abigail Drake fund,	30 00
" Amount in Treasury from 1898,	36 34
" John M. Drake for paint,	86
	861 40

EXPENDITURES.

South School.

Miss Fannie E. Wentworth, teaching 9 wks., summer term at \$7 per week, \$63 00

Simon Hill School.

Paid Richard Dearborn teaching nine weeks summer term

at \$5 per week,	\$45 00
Paid A. J. Philbrick, wood,	3 50
" Richard Dearborn teaching nine weeks fall term	
at \$5 per week,	45 00
	93 50

Champion School.

Paid Mrs. Oscar J. Avery teaching nine weeks summer term at \$5 per week,	\$45 00
" R. M. Wilkinson, wood,	7 00
" Miss Fannie E. Wentworth teaching fall term ten weeks at \$6 per week,	60 00
" C. F. Rowe teaching four weeks fall term at \$6 per week,	24 00
	136 00

Mountain School.

Paid Charles R. Philbrick teaching thirteen weeks summer term at \$6 per week,	78 00
" Daniel C. Gale, wood,	4 00
" Miss Effie O. Smith teaching eleven weeks fall term, at \$6 per week,	66 00
	148 00

Falls School.

Paid Miss Jennie C. Thurston teaching nine weeks summer term at \$6 per week,	54 00
" John K. Meloon, wood,	14 00
" Miss May M. Thurston teaching nine weeks fall term at \$6 per week,	54 00
	122 00

Center School.

Paid Miss F. Ethel Hurn teaching seven weeks summer term at \$6 per week,	42 00
" Irving Rowe, wood,	4 00
" J. B. Rowe, wood,	6 00
" Miss F. Ethel Hurn teaching eleven weeks fall term at \$6 per week,	66 00
" John M. Chase for carrying scholars,	17 00
	135 00

Hill School.

Paid Miss Kate M. Keay, teaching 9 weeks summer at \$6 per wk.,	\$54 00
" Richard Dearborn, wood,	7 00
" Miss Kate M. Keay teaching nine weeks fall term at \$6 per week,	54 00
" W. R. Clark, carrying scholars,	6 30
	121 30

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Paid C. H. Drake paint for Champion School house, \$7 05

" H. H. Leighton labor and supplies,	1 27
" J. L. Demeritt supplies,	48
" John M. Drake supplies,	1 50
" A. M. Champion express,	3 80
" C. F. Rowe, supplies and labor,	2 50
" C. F. Rowe, postage &c.,	4 24
	20 84
Whole amount receipts,	861 40
" " expenditures,	839 64
Amount in hands of Treasurer,	21 76
Due from A. D. Jones balance on school house,	6 00

LIABILITIES.

Due Town of Ossipee for tuition, 50 00

John M. Drake,
Cyrus P. Keay,
C. Frank Rowe, } School Board.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

Name of School	Name of Teacher	Length of term in weeks	Wages per mo.	No. of Scholars	Avg attendance	Arithmetic	Grammar	Reading	Spelling	Geography	Penmanship	Physiology	Algebra	History	Bookkeeping
Simon Hill	Richard Dearborn	9 9	20	17	13	5	5	16	10	13	10	4	4	4	
"	"	9 9	20	12	10	12	5	10	11	8	9	7	7	4	
Champion	Mrs. Belle Avery	9 9	20	11	11	10	6	9	5	9	6	6	6	6	
"	Miss Fannie Wentworth	10 24	10	10	9	5	5	10	7	5	9	4	7	7	
Mountain	C. Frank Rowe	4 24	7	7	7	5	5	7	5	7	7	5	5	5	
"	Chas. R. Philbrick	13 24	22	17	16	10	10	12	12	9	14	9	12	6	
Falls	Miss Effie O. Smith	11 24	18	17	16	10	8	18	10	7	17	13	6	6	
"	Miss Jennie C. Thurston	9 24	18	16	15	10	8	18	10	8	14	10	12	12	
Hill	Miss May M. Thurston	9 24	15	15	10	6	8	10	6	8	14	9	6	6	
"	Miss Kate M. Keay	9 24	11	11	10	6	7	11	7	5	4	4	6	6	
Center	Miss Ethel F. Hurn	7 24	18	17	12	8	8	18	10	17	17	12	7	7	
"	"	11 24	21	20	14	9	6	21	14	16	22	8	1	8	
South	Miss Fannie Wentworth	9 28	15 15	14	6	6	6	15 10	15	15	15	5	1	1	

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Effingham, having this day examined the accounts of the School Board, and hereby report that we find them fully vouched for, and correctly cast.

Feb. 15, 1899.

C. S. MILES,
J. W. THURSTON, } Auditors.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF EFFINGHAM FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1898.

Date 1898.	Name of Child.	Sex & Con. M. or F. Birthplace	Maiden Name of Father	Name of Mother	Color No. of C.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of father	Birthplace of Father.	Age at death of mother.
Feb. 13	Sidney A. Cook	M L 1 w	Wm. Cook	Rose E. Lewis	w	Effingham	Laborer	Porter, Me.	Wolfboro, N.H. 27 18
Mar. 26	Gladys Hazel Davis	f L 1 w	Frank H. Davis	Alice Staples	w	"	"	Effingham	Tutonboro, " 20 22
May 10	Josiah Thurston	m L 3 w	Jno E Thurston	Sadie A. Stokes	w	"	"	"	Effingham, " 28 24
" 13	Louise Cutting	f L 3 w	Sherman Cut'ng	Ida Sanborn	w	"	"	Tuftonboro, N.H.	Parsonsfld, Me.
" 20	Ruth Taylor	f L 4 w	Frank Taylor	Esther Clough	w	"	"	Parsonsfld, Me.	Effingham
" 23	Clough	m L 1 w		Cora Wilkinsor	w	"	"	"	"
June 10	Gentrule Theadate	f L 1 w	Fred Clough	Dellie B. Chick	w	"	"	Wolfboro, N.H.	"
" 24	Benj. C. Kimball	w L 4 w	Chas. Kimball	Vilena Williams	w	"	"	Ossipee, "	"
Sept. 15	Grace Kennett	f L 2 w	Frank Kennett	Emma Sanborn	w	"	"	Parsonsfld, Me.	"
Oct. 16	Mabel Stanley	f L 7 w	Randall Stanley	Ida Bisbee	w	"	"	Effingham	"
July 28	Gentrule Bleckford	f L 1 w	R. E. Bickford	Susie J. Shaw	w	Dover, v n	[ter] Carriger	Dover, N.H.	.0 20

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MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF EFFINGHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1858.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of the groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age in yrs.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.
1 Jan. 4	Effingham Falls N. H.	Frank H. Davis Alice M. Staples Jas. L. Wormwood	Effingham Tuftonboro Freedom	20 22 24	Laborer Housekeeper Mechanic	Effingham Tufonboro, N.H. Freedom,	Albion H. & Sarah J. Davis Pelatia & Eliza A. Staples Jas. G. & Amanda M. Wormwood
2 Sept. 8	"	Grace A. Leavitt	Effingham Falls	24	Home	Charleston, Mass.	Jas. A. & Delia L. Leavitt
3 Nov. 26	"	John R. Ashworth Ines E. Newbegin	Sanford, Me.	21	Printer	Newchurch, Eng	Geo. & Elizabeth Ashworth
				20	Laborer	Biddeford, Me.	Flanders, & Abbie A. Newbegin
Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.				Occupation of mother.	No. of marriage.	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married.
1 Effingham	Effingham	Farmer	Housewife	First	Rev. W. C. Tansom,		
2 Tuftonboro, N. H. Deceased	Tuftonboro, N. H. Deceased	Shoemaker	"	"	Effingham Falls, H. H. Rev. H. F. Snow,		
3 Newchurch, Eng. Deceased	Burkley, Eng. Deceased	Printer	Housewife	"	" Geo. A. Smith,		"

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF EFFINGHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1898.

Date of death.	Place of death.	Name and Surname of the deceased.	Age. y. m. d.	Place of Birth.	Sex and condition i. or gen. [or f.] or wid.	Sing., mar., or wid.	Occupation.	Place of birth father	Place of birth mother	Name of father.
1 Jan. 30	Effingham	Mary E. Dorr	68 70/11/12	Effingham	f	widowed	housekeep'r	Effingham	Effingham	Joseph Towle
2 Apr. 25	"	Joseph B. Davis	58	Effingham	m	married	stone-mas'n	Durham	Lee	Joseph Davis
3 May 1	"	Thomas Tuttle	58	Effingham	m	"	farmer	Lee	Portland, M.	George Tuttle
4 " 20	"	Aaron Bunker	58 4	Durham, N.H.	m	"	"	Durham	Durham	Benj F. Bunker
5 " 30	"	Lucy Stevens	78	Hollis, me	f	widowed	housekeep'r	Porter, me.	Effingham	N.H. Jacob Gilpatric
6 Sept. 16	"	Percy Stanley	3	225 Porter,	m	"	"	"	"	Randall Stanley
7 Nov. 1	"	Annie E. Taylor	10/11	Effingham	f	widowed	housekeep'r	Effingham	"	T. F. Taylor
8 " 8	"	Mary D. Palmer	86	4Buxton, me	f	"	"	"	"	N.H. Steph. Woodsum
9 Dec. 25	"	Henry Brown	63	"	m	married	"	Fairlee, Vt.	Wentw'rth, Dearborn Brown	"
Maiden Name		Disease or cause of death.					Occupation of father.			Name and P. O. address of Physician reporting death.
1 Lydia Champion		Bright's disease		Farmer			J. M. Leavitt, M. n., Effingham.			
2 Mary Tuttle		Cardiac dropsy		Preacher			Geo. W. Lougee, " Freedom, N. H.			
3 Joanna Frost		Congestion of brain		Farmer			" "			
4 Abigail Chesley		Marasmus		"			J. M. Leavitt, M. n., Effingham.			
5 Hannah Clark		General debility		Farmer			Geo. W. Lougee, " Freedom, N. H.			
6 Ida B. Bisbee		Dysentry		"			J. M. Leavitt, " Effingham.			
7 Lizzie Knowles		Diabetes		Carpenter			" "			
8 Eunice Denett		Apoplexy		Farmer			A. N. Gould, " Center Effingham.			
9 Eliza Blake		Bright's disease					J. M. Leavitt, " Effingham.			

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